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Washington, D.C. 20505

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Miss Betty Groves
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Office of Personnel
Department of State
Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Miss Groves:

[redacted] has been assigned as Chief of our FBIS bureau in Bangkok, Thailand effective 26 September 1985, replacing [redacted]. It is requested that [redacted] be accorded the Diplomatic Title of Attaché in connection with this assignment. [redacted] was granted this title in March 1985. The original justification for [redacted] title was for him to be better able to conduct ongoing official negotiations with senior level host country officials on the expansion and modernization of the FBIS bureau in Bangkok, which will continue under [redacted] direction. The granting of the title to [redacted] will greatly improve his negotiating position as Bureau Chief. I would appreciate your office initiating the necessary correspondence to obtain the title for [redacted]. He will be in the Washington area until mid-September prior to his travel to Bangkok.

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I have supplied some biographic data on [redacted] as an enclosure. If additional information is required, or should you have any questions concerning this request, please contact [redacted]

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